

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Appl. No. : 10/585,608 Confirmation No. 8795  
Applicant : Dirk Mertin  
Filed : July 10, 2006  
Title : TOPICALLY APPLIED MEDICAMENT FOR ANIMALS  
Group Art Unit : 4131  
Examiner : Nicoletta Kennedy  
Docket No. : BHC 031082

**VIA EFS – 10/14/2009**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND RESPONSE**

Dear Sir:

The Applicants respectfully request a three-month extension of time up to and including October 15, 2008, to respond to the Office Action mailed May 12, 2008, in the above-referenced application. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), the required fee of \$1110 is included herewith. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any overpayment or underpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-4260.

Respectfully submitted,  
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